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Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT AND REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 24, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 10 as follows. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, a clean copy of the amended claim appears immediately hereinafter, with a marked-up version showing changes made attached hereto as Exhibit A.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Amendment and Reply is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231, on this 244 day of January, 2003.

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